

**! Ad Hoc Conference !**  
**! NSF-EMBO - Spliceosome Assembly & Tissue Specific Splicing !**  
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Dr. David Helfman  
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Re: Grant No. 2866

Dear Dr. Helfman:

The Scientific Director and CTR's staff have discussed your request for partial support of the NSF-EMBO Workshop "*Spliceosome Assembly & Tissue Specific Splicing*" to be held in Bandol, France, September 2-6, 1990.

The program contains many topics of interest to The Council, and the list of speakers ensures that the quality of the meeting will be high. I therefore am pleased to tell you that we will make a contribution of \$500.00 to help defray the costs of the conference. A check for that amount is enclosed with this letter. It would assist in our record-keeping if we could have a short written acknowledgement of the contribution.

We request only that these funds not be used to reimburse expenses incurred by participants from the industrial sector.

Sincerely,



Harmon C. McAllister

cc: R. F. Gertenbach  
J. F. Glenn

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